

Distinguished Guests Visit Mich. Resorts

(Continuing our account of our trip with "The Governor's Tour of Michigan" where we left off last week when the group spent the night at Grand Hotel at Mackinac Island.)

After a hearty breakfast at the Grand Hotel most of the visitors took the carriage trip around the island. It was Sunday morning and at 10 o'clock we boarded a boat for Les Cheneaux Islands. These are known to many as the "Snow Islands." It was a delightful trip. The boat landed at Hassel, on the Upper Peninsula at 11:50 a. m. where the big Greyhound bus was waiting us. The natives were out to welcome the visitors.

From there it was 33 miles to Sault Ste. Marie, thru miles and miles of wilderness, with an occasional cultivated area, including a farming region which it is claimed, was the first to have been opened anywhere in Michigan.

Luncheon was had at the Ojibway hotel at the Soo. Leading citizens of that fine city joined with the visitors and the luncheon hour was very pleasant and complete except for the fact that Michigan's great man, former Governor Chase S. Osborn was not present. However he had sent a 100 pound sturgeon that he caught the day before, to be served the visitors. Of course everyone took a look at the famous Soo sturgeon.

Among the several stops along the scheduled route was one at Trout Lake at Phil DeGraff's Birchwood resort. Here the congenial Phil was on hand to welcome the touring guests. With him was his old friend Ed Drier, official photographer for Out Door America. Ed comes to Grayling frequently and on several occasions made motion pictures of our canoe carnival and other events.

We found this one of the most interesting places we visited. Besides the main building there are several cabins, all built of logs and each different from the others. All, however, are delightful and very comfortable—cozy lounge; pleasant dining room; kitchen modern with electric refrigerator and stove; hot and cold water, bath and shower; restful sleeping rooms and the softest beds are in each cottage. And all this is set in one of the most charming spots in the Northern Peninsula.

The Upper Peninsula tour ended at St. Ignace Sunday night, where Secretary-manager T. F. Marston of the East Michigan Tourist Bureau and the writer left the group, returning to our respective homes. The others in the party continued on the tour, visiting Petoskey, Charlevoix, Traverse City, Manistee, Ludington, Pentwater, Hart, Shelby, Whitehall, Muskegon, Grand Rapids, Grand Haven, Holland, Saugatuck, South Haven, and St. Joseph. The tour ended at the latter city on Wednesday noon, after starting in Detroit one week earlier.

With exception of four men in the party of 40, every one was a total stranger, all executives of important rank, and it was interesting to hear some of their comments. That these men were sold on Michigan is assured. As one gentleman from Boston remarked to us, that he had crossed the continent many times and seen just about everything worth seeing, "I've never seen so many interesting places and scenes packed into such a brief time as I've seen on this trip—Michigan is wonderful."

Michigan is wonderful indeed. Out-of-state people seem to appreciate it more than we people here at home.

"ALL BLOOD IS RED", a thrilling serial of love and adventure in China by George Agnew Chamberlain starts in This Week, the magazine with next Sunday's Detroit News. Don't fail to read this great yarn.

LOST

On June 21st a purse by Mrs. Fern J. Walser. Among its contents were \$50.00 in money and two checks, one of which was signed by Margaret Ireland Wedding. Reward. Finder please notify Mrs. Margaret Wedding, Star Route No. 1, Grayling.

Old Guard Lumbermen Had Big Time

About 60 Old-Guard lumbermen of Michigan picniced here over last week end. T. P. Peterson, assisted by Emil Giegling, O. W. Hanson, Fred Welsh, Wilhelm Raab, and Carl Johnson were the local hosts and everything was done to give the visitors a good time.

In the crowd were 40 lumbermen from Detroit; 5 from Bay City; 3 from Flint; 3 from Grand Rapids; 3 from Saginaw, and others from Walled Lake, West Branch, Monroe, Redford and Owosso.

Among those present were Axel Becker from Monroe and Svend Bernt from Monroe, both former Grayling residents. Joe Mulhall of Owosso, a son of the late James Mulhall, a former man in the Salling Hanson Co., lumber yards here.

Short talks were given by P. A. Gordon, president of the Old Guard; O. W. Hanson; Wilhelm Raab; C. W. Johnson; Emil Giegling; Mayor Geo. Burke and T. P. Peterson.

All met at Shoppenagons Inn Sunday at 1:00 p. m. In the afternoon some played golf and others visited the Hartwick Memorial Pines Park and the Fish Hatchery. At 6:00 p. m. a camp dinner was served at CCC Camp No. 672, at Camp Higgins.

All reported having had a good time and desire to hold next year's picnic in Grayling.

Clerk's Convention

At Crystal Falls

AXEL PETERSON, PRESIDENT OF STATE ASSOCIATION

County Clerk Axel M. Peterson, president of the state association of County clerks, will be leaving in a few days to attend and preside over the annual state convention to be held at Crystal Falls July 7th, 8th and 9th. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Peterson.

Axel says they have a great program in store for the meeting and it is expected that all



state officers will be in attendance. Also naturalization officers of Detroit will be present and have speaking parts on the programs.

Ronnow Hanson will look after the affairs of his office during his absence. County Treasurer William Ferguson will attend the annual state convention of county treasurers to be held in Escanaba July 8th and 9th. On the following week Register of Deeds Ronnow Hanson will attend the annual convention of the Registrars also to be held at Escanaba.

ATTEMPTED CUT-AROUND RESULTS IN ACCIDENT

F. T. Holt, Birmingham, was slightly injured; Mrs. Sarah Mel-lacoe suffered three fractured ribs, a severe cut on the left leg, a lacerated eye and badly bruised face, and the latter's daughter Mrs. Elizabeth Reynolds of Bay City rendered unconscious as a result of an auto collision seven miles south of Grayling Monday afternoon, on U. S. 27.

It is reported that Holt, driving at a fast rate of speed, attempted to pass two cars. Upon realizing that, according to reports, he was unable to pass the cars without an accident he lost control of his car and crashed into the car driven by Mrs. Reynolds, wrecking it and his own car. Mr. Holt, it is claimed, acknowledges the responsibility for the accident. The ladies were enroute to Lake Margrethe for a few week's vacation.



WHAT means this demonstration, In home, in street, and hall? What means this celebration Joined in by great and small? Why all this bustling floating, And why these banners gay? What are these things denoting? It's Independence Day!

What means the gay bells ringing? Why do our hearts rejoice? What means the children's singing? Each one with heart and voice? This yearly contribution, Which never shall know decay, Tells of the Revolution— It's Independence Day.

Fraternal thoughts engender A country's love that sticks, That's why we all remember The War of 'seventy-six.' And so we come displaying Our national love this way, The Stars and Stripes are saying "It's Independence Day!" —Frank R. Williams, in Grit.

The Michigan Mirror

Non-partisan News Letter
Michigan Press Association
By GENE ALLEMAN

Lansing—The legislative record has been written at Lansing, many important issues being settled during the final few hours of a six-month session, and participants are generously dipping into the list of superlatives of both kinds.

Proclamations of the administration were centered around the passage of a labor relations bill that made picketing legal and lifted the right of court injunctions; more school and highway aid; hospital building fund, and a revamped welfare structure.

Critics of the administration forecast that the state budget will be way out of balance as a result of "wild spending" and that the total accomplishments were far short of expectations based on six months of expense and effort.

The issues will be thrashed out during the coming year when Governor Murphy is due to be a nominee for re-election—that is, if the Fates do not take him to Washington, D. C.

And even if the state does incur a big deficit, there is a crumb of comfort in the fact that Governor Murphy is in good company—President Roosevelt hasn't done so well himself on this score.

Picture of Democracy

A visitor from dictatorship state in Europe, should he have visited the hall of the House of Representatives on the closing night, would have been bewildered by the picture of democracy in action. It was a one-sided picture. It was distinctly out of focus.

One legislator from Flint, whose activities had identified him with liberal causes, partook of spirits too liberally and presented a drama of a soldier defending a citadel with a water gun. Wearing a miner's steel helmet that was military in overseas style, he withstood attacks of flying documents and charged the enemy with his water artillery which he kept replenished from a bucket by the desk.

Reams of toilet paper streamed from the galleries, and several

fraternal thoughts engendered a country's love that sticks. That's why we all remember the War of 'seventy-six.' And so we come displaying our national love this way, The Stars and Stripes are saying "It's Independence Day!"

for a peaceful picket line which does not bar employees from the plant, nor barricade a highway, there should be no picket-line at all.

At Mason, Michigan, a circuit court judge pronounced sentences upon several persons who attempted to keep employees from going to work at a Lansing plant. Arrest of these defendants led to the Lansing "Labor holiday," and the "holiday" led to formation of a vigilante group, the Lansing Law and Order League.

Thus triumphs law enforcement of an old-fashioned type. Public opinion remains the final authority.

More Vacations

Times are better in the upper peninsula. Few miners are idle. Iron and copper mines again are beehives of activity, spewing out ores for lake shipments.

Development of highways, automobiles, higher wages and shorter work weeks have combined to popularize resort areas.

It is the age of automobiles, trailers, and tourist cabins. The upper peninsula's virgin scenic resources are worth as much, and possibly more than all of its minerals underground.

From the Kirby steamship lines comes an announcement that the S.S. Alabama, making sailings from Detroit and Cleveland, will include Isle Royale on its regular ports of call.

Opening of the St. Lawrence waterway would do much to increase lake passenger and freight transportation in the Great Lakes. And Michigan's two peninsulas are vitally tied up with the commercial future of these great inland seas.

"Show Boats"

Michigan resort sections, famous for their wealth of beauty queens to herald winter sports, blossoms, trout, bass, perch and smelt, have encouraged rival cities of agricultural and industrial sections to rise to promotional heights.

Lowell and Chesaning are among the inland towns which have adopted the "Show Boat" idea for a summer celebration. Chesaning, home of "Farmer Peet," is now building a replica of the famous old Mississippi river craft. It will journey down the Shiawassee river at dusk each night of the production.

Lowell will utilize the Grand river for its annual spectacle. Missouri may be the "Show Me" state; Michigan is the "show" state.

"Unless there is an agreement

New E. M. T.

Guide Is Out

CRAWFORD COUNTY HAS FINEST ADV.

"East Michigan", the 1937 guide of the East Michigan Tourist association, published for the purpose of promoting the recreational advantages of the eastern side of the state, is now being distributed.

Carrying many pages in two and four colors, this year's issue totals 92 pages, 26 more than last year's guide. The new guide follows the general layout plan of the 1936 edition, but several sections of the book have been improved and new ones added.

A new "where to go" department has been compiled, listing alphabetically communities, lakes, rivers and other attractions of northeastern Michigan. Tense descriptions of these attractions are carried in this department.

Guides are sent to persons writing the E.M.T.A. in reply to association advertising in national magazines and metropolitan newspapers. They are placed on the reading tables of clubs and libraries in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Michigan as well as auto clubs, and information bureaus.

Crawford County.

Crawford county is particularly featured. Besides the two-page general write-up which is illustrated with eight photographs, the where-to-go department carries descriptions of the AuSable river, Grayling, Lovett and Lake Margrethe. Another feature is two pages of winter sports publicity in which Crawford county receives another boost.

One of the finest advertisements in the book calls attention to "Grayling on the World Famous AuSable River." Illustrated by seven photographs, the advertisement provides Grayling with one of the finest ads in the guide.

RIALTO INSTALLS MODERN VENTILATING SYSTEM

Workmen have just completed the installation of a new "air-condition" plant in the Rialto theatre. Now instead of the air coming up thru the floor with its cold drafts vitalized fresh air is forced into the room from above, from whence it circulates thruout the entire theatre.

It is the Trane Co. system and is the latest and most improved ventilating system in use for theatres and other large auditoriums today. Every particle of air is conditioned before it passes into the room. The air also passes thru screens in which are set miriads of pipes, thru which flows a constant stream of cold water. No matter how hot the weather may be outside, the theatre is always kept at a most comfortable temperature, all for the comfort and health of the theatre patrons.

The same ventilating system is used in cold weather except that instead of cold air, the air is warmed to the proper degree of temperature.

The patrons of the Rialto theatre certainly appreciate this high class motion picture theatre for its up-to-dateness—in every essential—comfort, health and the latest motion picture productions. Manager Geo. Olson is to be congratulated for his enterprise.

New white slippers are arriving daily at Olsons.

WEDDING SOLEMNIZED IN PRETTY SETTING

On Saturday afternoon the Memorial building at Hartwick Park was the scene of a pretty wedding when Miss Opal Plagens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Plagens, and Mr. Ivan Hamilton of Maple Forest were united in marriage. Rev. Mitchell of Cumins, Mich., officiated.

The bride was lovely in a gown of white satin made with a train with which she wore a bridal veil that touched the floor, and carried an arm bouquet of pink roses and white snapdragons. The bridesmaid, Miss Winifred Hamblin, the groom's sister, was becoming in pink satin made floor length. Others in the bridal party included little Joyce Howse as ring bearer, Frances Plagens, sister of the bride, flower girl and Barbara and Norma Cheesema of Detroit were train bearers. Mr. Don Wilson of Richmond was the bestman.

Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served to the guests at the home of the bride's parents, and in the evening dancing was enjoyed at the Maple Forest town hall.

The young couple have hosts of friends who extend congratulations and best wishes.

You're Invited

The next meeting of the Izaak Walton League, Rubie Babbitt Chapter, will be held the evening of July 2, 1937 in the Oddfellows Temple. A short business meeting will proceed an entertainment that should prove of interest to everyone in attendance. Efforts are now being made to secure a 16-foot movie reel that

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An effort is now being made to put on some amateur boxing bouts so make it a point to be present and give the boys a good lead-off. The usual Dutch lunch with the proper trimmings will follow the entertainment.

The business session should have a good attendance as the local chapter has taken on the sponsorship of the various civic projects, namely the canoe carnival, Chamber of Commerce and all projects of a civic nature that are sponsored for the benefit of Grayling and the business element.

This organization deserves your support 100% and let's get behind them and show we appreciate their efforts for this community. Members may bring along a guest for this meeting and all who plan to be present notify either Harley Russell, Axel Peterson or R. A. Wright.

Notice

It is now up to the City Council to decide whether or not any other milk than pasteurized shall be sold in Grayling. Do you believe in such a scheme? Since you are the user and pay for it, it is now up to you.

Talk to your City councilmen about it.

ALFRED HUMMEL.

Attention!

These new prices should open your eyes. Get in touch with us at once for full details. Pine Logs delivered to our factory priced as follows:

- 7 inch top—3c per lineal foot.
- 8 inch top—4c per lineal foot.
- 9 inch top and up 5c per lineal foot.

With bark on—NO PEELING—cash on delivery.

Timber blown down in recent storm acceptable if delivered before it becomes wormy.

We will contract for timber not meeting our specifications; for pulpwood, up to 1000 cords.

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THURSDAY, JULY 1, 1937

Lesson In Peace.



"This unfortified boundary line between the Dominion of Canada and the United States of America should quicken the remembrance of more than a century of friendship between these countries. A lesson of peace to all nations."

A tablet erected at the boundary line between the United States and Canada at Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, bears the above inscription. It was placed there by the Kiwanis clubs of the American and Canadian Soo.

RELIEF RACKETEERS

That the government owes a man a living is the belief of many an afflicted person in relief.

We have talked often about relief for the "deserving," but we are disgusted with the continued support of the man who refuses to shoulder his responsibility and earn his own living when he is well able to do so.

There are certain individuals also that work part of the year and receive government aid for the remainder. If, during the working months they had to handle their incomes to carry them over a workless period, many of them could do it. Instead, however, they spend it all and much of a foolishly because generous Uncle Sam wants to take care of them when they broke again.

One man with only himself and his wife to support, who is on relief all winter, has a good job from late spring to early winter. This family has recently purchased \$267 worth of furniture to be paid from their present income. When winter rolls around, the relief administrators will again welcome him back into the fold.

You and I cut corners and deny ourselves, but we pay for many relief racketeers to spend as they like.—Roscommon Herald News.

KIWANIS MET AT LOVELLS

The Kiwanis club switched from their usual noon luncheon hour Wednesday at Shoppeneagons Inn to evening when the members enjoyed a chicken dinner at the Douglas hotel in Lovells. Mrs. Douglas knows how to please her guests and this time was no exception. Before the call for dinner, some of the men enjoyed soft ball and a hot time was enjoyed by all.

Informal discussions were had on a number of subjects other than Kiwanis affairs after the banquet.

A number of the members remained for some time enjoying a social session. Cards were the principal pastime. It was a pleasant evening, for the Kiwanians. The old North Branch of the AuSable was as inviting as ever and not a few of the fellows regretted not having their waders and fishing tackle for a trial at the brook trout that team the river right in front of the Douglas hotel.

HAVE NEW AWNINGS

New awnings and fresh paint are doing a lot to spruce up the appearance of our business district. Within the past few days new awnings have been put up at the following places: Avalanche Office, (replacing the one recently destroyed by fire); A. & P. Store; Michigan Public Service Co.; and Grayling Mercantile Co. The latter also have repainted the front of their store.

Olaf Sorenson & Son, who furnished the above jobs, have built up a fine business in awnings and tents, not only in Grayling but in several neighboring communities.

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Personals

T. D. Waller of Flint was the week end guest of his aunt, Mrs. Hattie Moshier.

A. E. Case of Saginaw visited his sister Mrs. Ernest Larson, Tuesday of this week.

Miss Jean Wright of Saginaw was a week end guest of Misses Yvonne and Lois Bradley.

Kerrmore Case of Saginaw is spending a few weeks the guest of his aunt Mrs. Ernest Larson.

Mrs. Burgess of Ithaca is the guest of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Abbott.

Miss Leona Burrows is enjoying a vacation visiting in Flint, expecting to be there indefinitely.

Betty Lee Vallad is spending the week end with her uncle Warren Vallad and family, of Kalkaska.

Mr. and Mrs. David LaMotte spent the week end in Traverse City with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dionne.

Miss Elaine McDonnell arrived home Friday from C.S.T.C., Mt. Pleasant, for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McNeven and Clarence Johnson made a flying trip to Detroit yesterday and back again.

Mr. Catsman, coal dealer of Flint, and family, have arrived at their summer home on Higgins Lake for the season.

Mrs. Gordon Pond and son Larry are spending a few weeks in Detroit visiting her mother and other relatives.

Miss Norma Griffith, who has been employed at the "Amazon Sweets" restaurant in Saginaw, is home for the summer.

Mrs. Don Young and daughters Shirley and Barbara, are visiting Mrs. Young's mother, Mrs. F. W. Knaggs at Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Krist and two children of Detroit, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Mallinger, of Higgins Lake.

Mrs. Frank Tetu of West Branch and sister Miss Colette Smith of Lansing, called on relatives and friends yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Keltz of Niles, Mich., are spending several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shaw, at Lake Margrethe.

George Nold of Hopewell, Virginia, is spending a few weeks visiting relatives and friends in Grayling, among them George Burke.

Miss Agnes Hanson, who has been employed doing clerical work in the W.P.A. offices at Clare, has returned home as the Clare office has been closed.

Miss Wanda Cardinal, of St. Joseph Hospital, Pontiac, came Tuesday morning to spend a two weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Cardinal.

Leo White and daughter Joyce of Adrian, joined Mrs. White here the last of the week for a visit. Mrs. White has been here staying with her mother for several weeks.

Ray Warner of Detroit is here for his annual summer vacation visiting his aunt, Mrs. Holger Schmidt. He with Devere Schmidt are camping at K. P. Lake for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Doyle and Mrs. Rose Blanchard and Dennis Goddard of Bay City were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shaw at the lake. Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Doyle are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lovely and son Milford, Emma Louise Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lovely, and son Ernest Jr., and Bert Confer enjoyed a pleasure trip in the Upper Peninsula Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. French of Grand Rapids were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schroeder. Miss Caroline French who visited in the Schroeder home for several days, returned with her parents.

Anthony Trudeau Sr., and daughter Mrs. L. Roberts, and her daughters Ann and Rosalie, of Detroit, are here to remain over the Fourth, visiting the A. J. Herbert and Lawrence Trudeau families.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burrows were in Flint for the week end making arrangements to have their household furniture shipped to Grayling. It arrived Monday and they moved into the house they recently purchased from Mrs. N. P. Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence BeWald and daughter Mary Kay of Lansing called on Grayling friends Wednesday. The family made their home in Grayling a couple of years ago while Mr. BeWald was employed as draughtsman on the federal census.

A comfortable Fourth in white shoes from Olsons.

Mrs. Bessie Bayon is assisting in the dining room of the Fischer Hotel.

Mrs. Harry Reynolds spent Tuesday in Roscommon, the guest of Mrs. Jess Green.

Mrs. Judd Griffith of Saginaw is spending a couple of weeks in Grayling visiting relatives.

Janice Goshorn is spending the week with her grandmother Mrs. Nancy Batterson, at Frederic.

Mrs. Clifford Beety of Hale, Mich., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Perry the last of the week.

David H. Ward, Sr., has gone to Ferndale to spend several weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Ruth Stolker.

Mrs. Stanley Flower left for Chicago Sunday to spend the week the guest of her sister Mrs. J. P. McManus.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Madsen and son Howard of Detroit, spent the week end with Mrs. Madsen's father, Ed Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Goshorn spent the week end at Cass City, visiting Mr. Goshorn's sister, Mrs. Ernest Ferguson.

Benny Jorgenson of Detroit is here to spend the summer at the home of his mother, Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson.

Mrs. Clarence Ekkens and children of Bay City visited her mother Mrs. Katherine Loskos several days last week.

Fred Goodrich, undersheriff of Flint and his wife called on Mr. and Mrs. George Burrows Thursday.

Jack Redhead, Jr., is attending the boys camp, Camp Haywood on Torch Lake for the month of July. He left Saturday, his parents accompanying him.

Grant Shaw, Western Union operator night at the local office, is absent from his duties because of illness. Relief operator J. L. Hogue is taking his place.

Several local people attended the Bass Festival at Mio Sunday. The American Legion Drum and Bugle Corps nicely represented Grayling by taking part in the parade.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Ronan Flanagan of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Matties of Bay City, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. SanCartier.

Mrs. Helen Routier and son Ralph, of Detroit, arrived Thursday and will spend the summer with Mrs. H. A. Bauman and Miss Margrethe Bauman at Lake Margrethe.

A. B. Failing of Quinnesec, in the Upper Peninsula, was in Grayling the first of the week visiting his mother Mrs. Ellen Failing, and looking after some business matters.

Miss Beverly Schaible was in Cadillac a few days last week doing some stenographic work for the Resettlement Administration. She was accompanied by Miss Jean Peterson.

Mrs. Ruth Bulger and daughter Miss Beatrice Norgrove, of Mio, and Mrs. Laura Bolter of Marine City, were in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. David Ward here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Craft and children, and Nick Shepard drove to Mio Sunday, then to Rose City, leaving Junior and Mildred with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Craft, for the summer.

Miss Helen Cogswell of Detroit has joined her mother here at Hill Top, cabins south of Grayling, to remain for the summer. The school she attended in Detroit closed on Wednesday, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Carlson and children, Edwin and Donna Jane, of Alpena, spent a few days at their Grayling home, this week. Mr. Carlson is building an Air-Lox log cabin for a Mr. Robinson, of Detroit, there.

Rev. Fr. James Moloney is enjoying a visit from his parents Mr. and Mrs. James Moloney of Ishpeming, and his brother and family Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Moloney and children Mary Teresa, James H. and Rita Catherine of Los Angeles, Calif. They will be here until the middle of next week.

Sister M. Paneratia and Sister M. Rosarian of Mercy Hospital, accompanied by Miss Phyllis Hewitt, attended the Golden Jubilee celebration of a priest at Manistee Tuesday. Both sisters taught in the parochial school there, where the priest has been pastor most of the time since he was ordained 50 years ago.

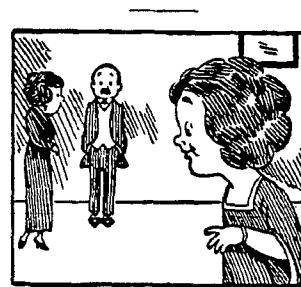
Mirrors Once Disguised
In the mid-sixteenth century women of fashion disguised the pocket mirror as a little book, looking to the uninitiated, like a prayer book.

INSTRUMENTS INCLUDED



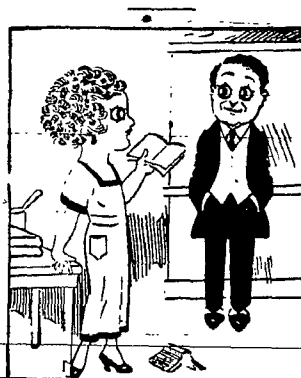
"I understand you have had a slight operation?"
"That's what I thought I had, but I got a bill for it yesterday and I'm inclined to think now that while I was under the ether the surgeon gave me everything he had in stock."

IF AND WHEN



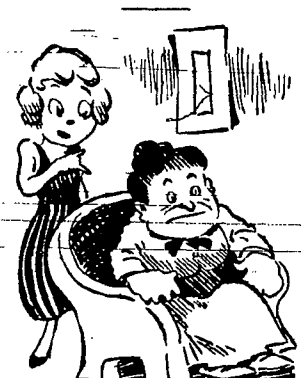
Mr. B.—Does your sister Clara believe marriage is a failure?
Mrs. B.—No, but she believes that trying to get married is.

MODERN WIFE



Mr. Newlywed—Why have you those fashion plates out in addition to the cook book, my dear?
Mrs. Newlywed—I thought I'd need both in making flannel cakes.

SOME DIFFERENCE



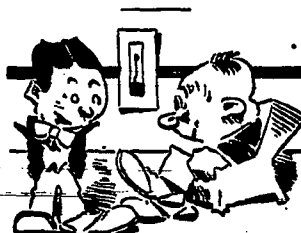
Aunt—I understand Tom gives you plenty of money.
Mrs. Justwed—No. What I said was Tom thinks he gives me plenty.

THE RIGHT PLACE



Lawyer—Are you aware, sir, that what you contemplate is illegal?
Client—Certainly. What do you suppose I came to consult you for?

THE WORKS



"My dealer has me on his slate for five tons of coal, but I haven't gotten it yet."
"Oh, you'll get it—slate and all!"

NO DUST

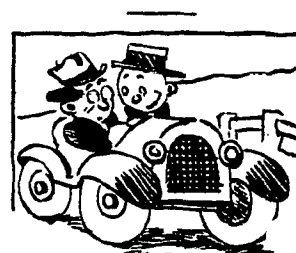


Mrs. Newlywed—Do you ever go through your husband's pockets while he's asleep?
Mrs. Oldwed—Never; after he's paid my monthly bills searching his pockets wouldn't get me anything.



"I wonder why I am always running behind?"
"Because you don't look ahead."

IN COLORS



"So you got a colored chauffeur?"
"Yes, Brown."

CUTTING DOWN



Spider—It's awful, the more the soup costs, the fewer flies they put in it.

TRUE TO NAME



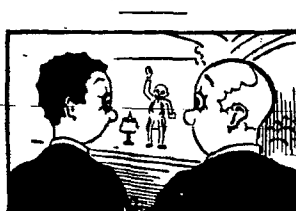
"I got gold-bricked in the city."
"Ha, ha, ha, a regular 'jay-bird,' eh?"

NOT A FEW



"Fringe on the skirt went out some time ago."
"Huh?"
"But it continues to be worn on pants."

OH, SO TIRED



"Do you know what it means to speak before an audience?"
"No. I spoke before an audience once. But most of it went before I did."

IN COLORS



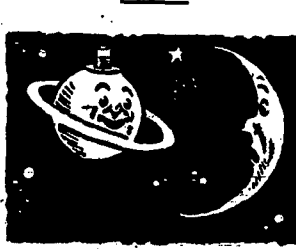
"What do you think of the Great White Way?"
"I don't think it is as black as it is painted."

SURE SIGN



"How do you know it's going to be a girl?"
"I hear a voice inside asking, 'Is my shell on straight?'"

GOING DOWN



Saturn—Lend me a hand, will you old fellow?
Moon—Sorry; I'm down to my last quarters.

AWNINGS

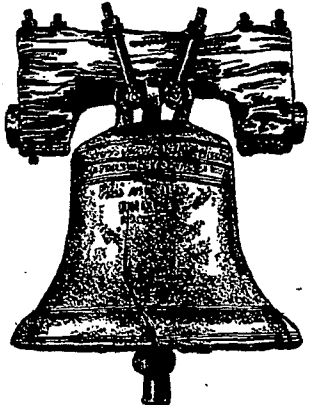
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LIBERTY, one of two treasured BELLS



TWO of the bells which played important roles in early American history — pealing warnings or glad tidings during the nation's battle for survival — are treasured by Philadelphia, observes a Philadelphia United Press correspondent.

Most valuable of the two from historical standpoint is the world-famed Liberty bell, which was tolled when first public announcement was made of the Continental congress' adoption of the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776.

The bell had pealed for anniversaries and festivals until 1835, when it cracked while being rung for the funeral procession of Chief Justice John Marshall of the United States Supreme court.

Other bells identified with America's struggle against foreign encroachments are the chimes in the steeple of Old Christ church. During the Revolutionary war they were removed and secreted to block possible attempts of English soldiers to melt them for ammunition.

Nations Prosper As They Are Free

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN

National Chairman
Sentinels of the Republic

"Countries are well cultivated, not as they are fertile, but as they are free."

That axiom, pronounced many years ago, remains true today. Now, as then, it applies not only to the soil, but to every form of productive activity — whether at the farm, the factory, the store, the office or the laboratory.

It was through the freedom of her workers — not political liberty alone, but the freedom of unfettered energy — that America became great.

It was largely because of this freedom that the standard of living for all Americans became the highest in history, while the workers of Europe — hampered by government edicts and restrictions — lagged far behind.

It was this freedom of enterprise that converted our central plains into earth's greatest granary, that released our hidden mineral wealth for world-wide utility; that transformed the experiments of the scientific laboratory into the realities of every-day life and use.

It was this freedom that gave the American workers more and better farms, more and better homes, more and better food, more automobiles, more telephones, more radios, more comforts of all kinds, than any people on earth.

Let's remember these things through the months immediately ahead. Let's remind those in whose hands we have placed the reins of government that it was freedom of opportunity and of labor that made America what it is.

Let's ask them — with our help — to sweep away all the barriers that block the road to recovery, and to let the American people press forward as they did during the period of their greatest development, free from the handicap of bureaucratic edicts, whether past or present or future.

Let's impress on them anew that countries are well cultivated, not as they are fertile, but as they are free. And that means freedom of our intelligence, our energies, and our spirit, as well as of our persons.

Color of Human Blood
The liquid part of the blood is almost colorless. The color of the blood as a whole depends on the proportion of liquid to red cells.

Notice

City taxes are due and payable at the City office on July 1, 1937. Please bring your statement with you; we need it for reference.

Florence Butler,
City Treasurer.



"Most of us who had only a shoe string to start with," says dubious Dot, "have never been able to even get the knot out of it."

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FOR RENT—Furnished house. Inquire of A. J. Trudeau.

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FOR SALE—2½ acres on edge of city of Grayling, house, 2 excellent chicken coops; a 1-car garage; 2-stall horse or cow barn; garden tools; some furniture. Inquire of Geo. Plant, Grayling, or inquire at Avalanche Office: 7-1-1

WANTED—Anyone having cottages for rent, please notify Grayling Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—Modern house, two lots. Inquire of O. P. Schumann, Phone 111 or 42, Grayling.

FOR RENT—Furnished house, with bath. Mrs. B. A. Cooley.

WANTED—Women or girls for day or night work. Apply at Grayling Laundry.

JACKPINE CUTTERS WANTED—We pay the highest cutting prices, including additional bonus. National Log Construction Co., Phone 182. 7-1-1f

WANTED—Cherry pickers July 5th at the George Bolling Orchard, Route No. 1, and Morgan McDermott Orchard, Route No. 6, Traverse City, Mich. 7-1-1

WANTED—Girl or Woman for general housework. Phone 9721. 7-1-1

WANTED—Housekeeper. Woman of 50 years or over, and a good cook. Mrs. Geo. L. Alexander.

FOR SALE—Five good building lots and one lot with small cabin, in group or singly. Good location and lots of shade. Build your own home in Grayling and quit paying rent. Inquire of O. P. Schumann, Grayling. Phone 111. 7-1-1

FOR SALE—Six weeks old pigs. Call at Fink Farm in Maple Forest. 6-24-2

FLAYER PIANO BARGAIN—Cost \$800.00 when new; can now be had for only \$39.50 including rolls. Write to Mrs. R. J. Lemke 2335 W. Vliet Street, Milwaukee, Wisc., and she will advise where instrument may be seen. 6-24-3

FOR SALE—Set of Golf Clubs, 3 woods and five irons, in good leather-trimmed golf bag, all for \$10. See these at the Avalanche Office. Phone 111.

WANTED—Bookkeeper. Steady position. For information inquire at Avalanche Office.

Fourth of July Parade



HATS OFF!
Along the street there comes
A blare of bugles, a rattle of drums,
A flash of color beneath the sky:
Hats off!
The flag is passing by.

Hats off!
Along the street there comes
A blare of bugles, a rattle of drums,
And loyal hearts are beating high:
Hats off!
The flag is passing by!
—Henry Holcomb Bennett.

Base Ball

As It Should Be Played.

(Interviewing John Kobs, varsity baseball coach at Michigan State college, by Max Henkel, first string pitcher. Fifth of a series of six articles).

OUTFIELDING

"When it comes to actual fielding, too many amateur outfielders muss up questionable catches by not calling for the ball. They cause a mix up and a consequent missing of the ball." Kobs stated, quizzically eyeing a practice session which was going on.

"One man in the outfield, preferably the center fielder, should call the man to take the ball, thus avoid missing the ball, and possible collisions which oftentimes result in injury. In addition to calling for balls, the entire outfield should work as a unit, and assist each other in judging a fly ball, telling each other to come in or back as the case may be, or which base to throw to in case of a long hit. At the same time line up for a relay.

"A fielder should be able to judge a ball by the crack of the bat thus enabling him to start with the hit. After the ball is hit, get under it as quickly as possible whether you have to go ten feet or a hundred. Do your waiting after you are under the ball, not where you are standing. You may give the spectators a thrill, but to the other players it is a nightmare until you pull the ball down.

"Another fault that is quite common is the inability of a player to turn and go after a ball hit over his head. A player should never back up after a long fly. He should turn his back on it and run and the other fielders should tell him when to turn.

"Fast men are very essential

in the outfield for the simple reason that they are the men who back up all throws and hits through the infield. Many times men advancing on overthrows are thrown out by fast fielding.

"There are several things that a fielder should always know. If the pitcher is a slow ball pitcher, the fielders will shift farther around to right field for a left handed hitter, and to left for a righthanded hitter. Study the batters each time they come up, until you are aware of the way they hit each time. Know all the signals for throws to bases by the catcher and pitcher and back up the throws. Always remember that the wind will affect any fly ball. And lastly, trap all ground balls, any one that goes through means extra bases.

"Most fielders practice catching fly balls very religiously, but throwing is just as important. After each practice catch, throw for a base, and get so that you can hit it on the first bounce every time."

Children in Court

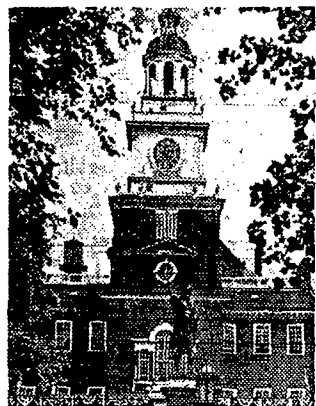
Judge Malcolm Hatfield

Now that the schools are closed for the summer it will be necessary for parents to exercise constant vigilance over their children if they want to keep them out of court.

Too many mothers and fathers permit minors to idle away their summers in search of unsupervised amusement. Then, when a son or daughter finds recreation in questionable places and bring disgrace to the family, such parents usually blame everyone except themselves. To avoid all possibilities of a disastrous vacation, the wise mother and father will remain constantly alert and not relax their watchfulness for a single hour.

Liberty's Sacred Shrine

SCATTERED along the Atlantic coast region from Boston to St. Augustine are countless historic old brick structures invested with the glamour of romance, of stirring adventure, of heroic sacrifice and earnest, patriotic devotion to country, but nowhere is one instinctively moved to bare his head in a sincere reverence so much as in Independence hall, where more than 150 years ago a handful of patriots dared the wrath of Great Britain and declared for American freedom. Even today one seems to feel the presence of those dauntless spirits in the very atmosphere of those



Independence Hall Still Stands—as Patriotic Inspiration

plain, old-fashioned rooms, hung with mementoes of the days of '76.

About it hovers the best traditions of American patriotism. Other walls have rung with patriotic declaration, with impassioned oratory and bold defiance, but nowhere has loyalty to country and earnest devotion to the cause of liberty found such deathless expression as was voiced in that Declaration of Independence announced by the ancient Liberty bell in the cupola overhead on that memorable Fourth of July so many years ago.

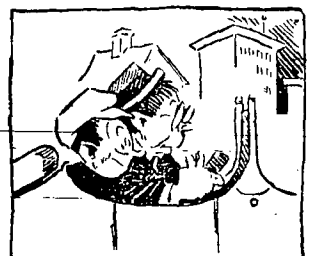
Doubtless more loving care has been lavished upon this old building than upon any other in America. It stands today virtually as it was in '76.

Here the Declaration of Independence was adopted on July 4, 1776.

JOHN ADAMS' WISH

IN A letter written July 3 1776, John Adams revealed to his wife the hope that the fourth would become "the great anniversary festival" sustained with "pomp and parade, shows, games, sports, guns, bells and illuminations."

WITH THE AUTO BOYS



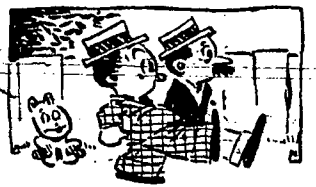
Passenger—Awful, isn't it, the way living expenses keep up?
Driver—Oh, I don't know. Of course, motor accessories and gas are pretty high, but the fines for speeding are about the same as ever.

PRECAUTION



"Why are you always borrowing money of your friends? With your income, you ought not to need it."
"I don't need it, but it keeps them from asking me for money."

TRY POISON BAIT



"How's your garden getting along?"
"It's troubled by two kinds of pests."
"What are they?"
"The pest that eat the plants and the pest that want to know how my garden is getting along."

News By Nosey

There is so much happening and so many cabins and clubs overflowing, now that the river season is almost in full sway, that it's hard to keep up with all the new folks, and still do justice to, and not forget the old friends.

Lucy McDonald has been back with us for a week. After the "For Sale" sign on McDonald Lodge, I, for one, despaired of seeing her this season. However Lucy told me she would be with us quite a lot this summer. You all remember Gordon McDonald who was trainmaster and superintendent of division between Bay City and Mackinaw. We all regret his death on Thanksgiving day, 1936. Gordon was probably as much missed as any man could be, around this part of the river; his ready smile and helping hand to everyone were well known and appreciated.

Lucy had a guest whom many of you will remember, years ago, Lucile Dorland. She was a milliner in Grayling at the time she lived there. Lucy and Lucile are fine campers; you should see them heave a big chunk of ice in the icebox!

Lucy expects to be here again, soon, with Gordon Jr., and his wife. Gordon is coach and physical director at Alma college. There is another son, Stanley. No doubt he and Jean will be up to the Lodge later in the season. Stanley is general yard master for the New York Central in Detroit.

The McDonald cabin is rented, at present to Mrs. Andrews of Chicago. She has three boys. We hope she will be able to stay on the river all the season, because Buster, Jerry and Johnny have won their way into everyone's heart. We don't see very much of Mrs. Andrews, because she happens to be one of the real mothers, and spends most of her time with her children. Mrs. Andrews will be at McDonald Lodge until the 25th of July. Then we will have Lucy and her family, to say nothing of her many friends, and the wonderful hospitality she always affords.

There is great activity at the Shaw hotel this week. For days cars and cars have been going down the road. Walter and Marion seem to be kept busy guiding. All this business doesn't seem to stop Grant from his daily trip up the river with his two dogs, Buddy and Jack. I have never found out which of the three are most interested when Grant catches a trout.

Jim Bailey furnished a little fun last week when he found out that those burglar-proof windows were not all they were cracked up to be, or maybe he should say they were because he locked himself out. So any of you anticipating a "look see" at the Bailey menage, may be disappointed, for even if Jim and Jessie are home they probably can't get in to show you around. Anyway Jim got in, but he had to drive to Kyle Lake and get his other key from Henry Davis, who was basking in the shade, hoping no one could find him and put him to work. Jessie said she was glad Jim got locked out, she always wanted to see Kyle Lake, but couldn't get Jim away from the river.

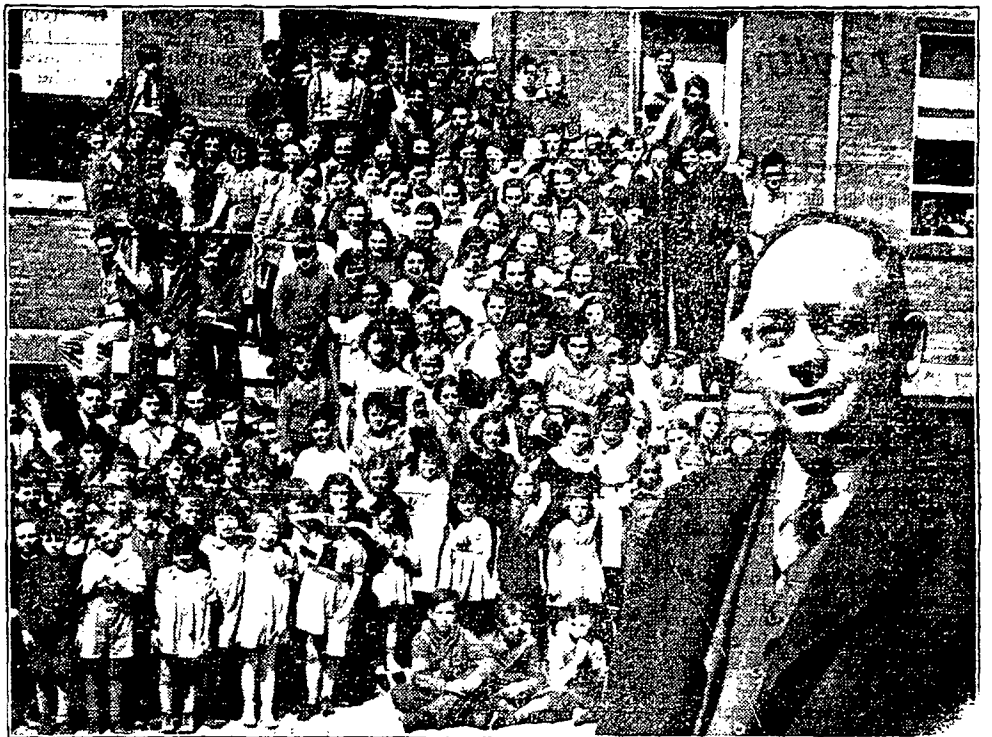
Everyone who belongs to Whippoorwill is up there this week. They have had lots of fun at Kyle Lake too! Oh these river folks are finding out we have some lakes and country in Crawford county besides the river. That's good! Maybe if we can get some of these crack fishermen interested in bass or even entice them out at night for bullheads or something, we can get a few trout ourselves. When you get the river full of Jim Baileys and Paul Youngs what chance has an amateur?

Someone asked me, in Grayling, were there going to be lots of people up here, well it looks as though they are really coming in earnest now. There is great fun going on down river that I will get and let you know about soon.

One must, of course, be interested in folks, but we can pick and choose, and sometimes escape those we don't care for, but we can't escape the elements. The windstorm, tornado, or cyclone (I've heard it called all three) was the worst I have experienced in the woods. Tall balsams by the dozens, some maples and beeches went down as the blown over by Paul Bunyan; many out by the roots. Last Saturday after the storm those not quite down were still breaking and falling. Let's hope we don't have another such wind for a long time. We still have lots of lovely trees, but many of those storms and the pick of these would be gone.

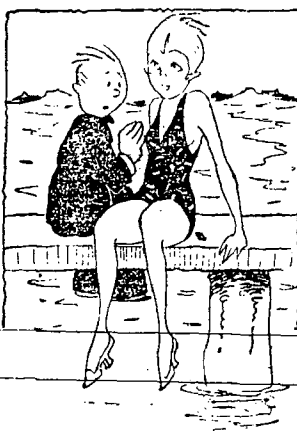
Tabby, Building Material
Tabby is a composite oyster shell, limo and concrete which the Spaniards first employed. Tabby is an adaptation of tapla, the Spanish name for the material.

THE FAMILY DOCTOR



Commemorating a quarter of a century of outstanding public service, Harrisville will honor Dr. A. R. Miller throughout its Homecoming celebration July 3-4-5. Dr. Miller has been mayor of Harrisville for the past 25 consecutive years. Dr. Miller is shown here against a background of a few hundred of the more than 3,000 future voters he has brought into the world. The genial doctor, known throughout northern Michigan, has been practicing medicine in Harrisville since the famous AuSable-Oscoda fire in 1911. E.M.T.A. Photo.

BRING THE TALCUM



He—Do you enjoy Browning?
She—Well, it's a little painful, but I must have something to show for my holiday.

POLICE!



Wife—I just can't find words to describe my new bathing suit.
Hubby—Then why not try some abbreviations?

THAT'S ASKING



Summer Hotel Clerk—Sorry, but all our rooms are engaged.
New Arrival—How about the girls?

EAR-MARKED



"Papa says I'm such a reserved girl."
"I hope you're reserved for me."

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The Office-Holder Is Your Employee

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN
National Chairman
Senators of the Republic

No business enterprise of any importance can depend for success on the knowledge and ability of its top executives alone.

It must rely also on the quality and training of the men in the ranks—whether they labor in office or shop or field.

Within recent weeks there has become evident a growing conviction that this is also true of government.

Both at Washington and elsewhere plans are being discussed for better training of the non-care and privates who hold or look forward to jobs in the public service. A federal agency has recently recommended such training as a step towards economy and efficiency. Its proposals are supported by private research groups which have studied the problem independently by colleges of high standing which offer courses leading to careers in the public service and by various state and municipal governments which encourage special training for their own employees.

But the one who should be most deeply concerned is the average worker and taxpayer. Why?

Because he, in the last analysis, is the real employer. He—with millions of his fellow citizens—constitutes the government, whether federal, state or local. He doesn't merely share in its benefits; he meets all its bills—including the payroll. The higher the quality of the public service, for which he pays, the more he gets for his money.

And the service is likely to be higher in quality if his employees are chosen and retained on the basis of what they know rather than that of whom they know. Not only that, but the field is likely to be less overcrowded—therefore, less costly to the taxpayer who foots the bill.

If the American citizen would get his money's worth he must insist on ability not only in the top offices of government, but in the lesser jobs as well. This, too, becomes part of his responsibility as a shareholder in the most important business on earth.

The office-holder is his employee.

DEPT. OF STATE

STATE NEWS BULLETIN
Important Changes in Auto Tag Laws

Passed by the legislature of the 1937 session, the bill to make March 1st the deadline for the purchase of automobile license plates and tags, with neither the Secretary of State nor any other official authorized to extend this deadline is approved by Leon D. Case, Secretary of State, to be in effect in advance. The present law permits the Secretary of State to extend the final expiration date to March 1st.

In answer to Case's desire to call public attention to these two important changes in the motor vehicle laws, the Secretary of State also points to the fee of \$1.00 to be collected hereafter for the issuance of stickers or half-year permits. This fee will cover the extra cost of issuing half-year permits. The charging by the state of this small fee appears to be fair and proper, considering the accommodation represented by a half-year installment plan for the purchase of a set of plates.

The bookkeeping, special costs incurred by the printing and handling of the some half million stickers annually is an item which one should long expect the state to absorb. The collection of the 25c fee will bring in approximately \$125,000 annually, it is estimated.

Thirteen Presidents Soldiers
Thirteen of our Presidents were soldiers—Washington, Monroe and Jackson in the Revolution; Jackson, W. H. Harrison and Taylor in the War of 1812; Taylor and Pierce in the Mexican war; Lincoln and Taylor in the Black Hawk war; Grant, Hays, Garfield, McKinley and Benjamin Harrison in the Civil war, and Roosevelt in the Spanish-American war.

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, July 9, 1914

Hoiger Schmidt is driving a brand new Ford, which he purchased recently.

Miss Margaret Phelps celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary yesterday afternoon by entertaining a number of her little friends at her home.

Miss Margaret Tolfree of West Branch is spending the week here, the guest of the Misses Elaine McNeven and Lucille McPhee.

W. H. Hill of the Northeastern Development Bureau, Bay City and A. B. Williams of the Gleaners, Detroit, were in this city on business today.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Ruae returned on Monday morning after a vacation of about two months, spent in Denmark.

Floyd Creech, the local catcher, is ill with a severe cold.

Miss Nellie Shanahan spent the Fourth of July at Mackinaw City, returning Monday afternoon.

Miss Anna Boeson, who has been attending the Ashland college at Grant, Mich., arrived home Wednesday to spend her vacation.

Rachel Irene Randolph, seven months old daughter of William and Sene Randolph, was baptized on the 4th by the Rev. V. J. Hutton.

Andy Larson has resumed his duties in the Petersen grocery after a ten days absence on account of illness.

Miss Marguerite Bauman arrived home from the LaSalle Seminary in Auburndale, Mass., the forepart of last week. On her way home she visited friends in Williamsport, Penn.

Miss Mae Smith left on Saturday morning for Bay City to visit her brother, Floyd, and family. Miss Mildred Bunting supplied in the telephone office during her absence.

Einar Rasmussen was among those who attended the celebration at the Ashland college in Grant, on the Fourth of July.

Mrs. William McCullough is seriously ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee White left

on the early morning train Monday for their home in Royal Oak.

The Crawford County Farmers' Association will hold their annual picnic at the town hall at Beaver Creek, August 13th.

The court house has been repapered and redecorated. The walls and ceilings are prettily tinted and all the woodwork, tables, desks and cases are re-varnished.

F. R. Deckrow has completed his contract with the State Military reservation at Portage Lake.

The citizens of Beaver Creek held a Fourth of July celebration at their town hall Saturday and claim to have had a grand time. There was a hot ball game between the married and single men, the latter winning with a lead of nine scores. They played full ten innings and at the finish the score was 72 to 63. Time, four hours and 72 minutes. Batteries for married men, Hanna and Belmont; for the single men, Nemesis Nielsen. Both teams will begin training for the next year's game.

Miss Marion Tompkins of Ewen, who has been visiting relatives in Maple Forest, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jerry Sherman.

Miss Clara Nelson, who is teaching school in the upper peninsula, is home to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Nelson.

Dr. Keyport and wife entertained last week the Doctor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Keyport of Bay City, and Miss Zwick of Wilkesbarre, Pa.

Mrs. H. C. Colladay and granddaughter, Miss Fern Armstrong, spent a few days in Lewiston last week visiting the former's daughter Mrs. E. A. Carpenter.

Miss Zina Smith returned from Detroit for a short vacation on Monday. Miss Zina has a position as stenographer with a firm in Detroit.

The approaching marriage of Miss Ethel Tromble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Tromble, to Mr. Guy E. Bradley, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Bradley of Detroit, was announced at High Mass at St. Mary's Church on Sunday morning last. The marriage will occur on July 28th.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Martha Joseph, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Joseph of this city, and Mr. Harry Friedman of Milwaukee, Wis., to be held at the home of the former, July 9th.

John Isenhauer has completed his residence near McClellan street and expects to move his household goods in this week.

Will McCullough arrived home on Saturday morning from Detroit where he is with the Ford Motor Co. He will remain here for three or four weeks to recuperate as he has not been in the best of health.

Mrs. E. E. Leighton and her sister Mrs. G. E. Stannard, are spending a few days at St. Ignace. Mr. and Mrs. Stannard, who have made their home in Salt Lake City, Utah, for several years, are now residents of Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hanson, Rev. and Mrs. Kjolhede, Mrs. Waldemar Jensen, Mrs. H. P. Hanson, Mrs. Jens Jorgensen, Mrs. H. Cook and daughter Matilda attended the celebration of the high school at Grant on July 4th.

News has reached here of the death of L. Fournier at the family home at Royal Oak on Sunday. Mr. Fournier conducted a drug store in this place for about twenty-three years, selling out to A. M. Lewis a few years ago.

Frederic (23 Years Ago)

B. E. Callahan Jr. and E. B. Barber spent the Fourth at Bay City with Mr. Simms, formerly superintendent of the Walsh Mfg. Co., at this place.

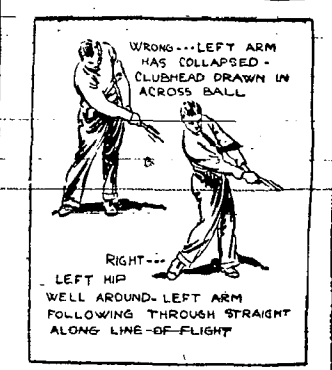
The building of the bank is progressing nicely.

The light artillery was out Tuesday evening anticipating burglars in the depot but failed to find any. Ask anybody, Harry, they can explain.

Mr. Craven and family have returned from spending the 4th with relatives at Prescott.

Another car of "Fords" arrived this week. It won't be long before we can "Afford."

GRAPHIC GOLF



ALLOWING THE LEFT ARM TO COLLAPSE

TO ENABLE the clubhead having an unhindered sweep through the ball, it is essential that those parts of the body which might block the arms, in their downswing and follow through path, be moved out of the way. Probably the worst malefactor in this regard is the left hip, which if left in the same position it enjoyed at address will cause the left arm to collapse. This is because the left arm does not possess the room to pass on through and must perforce fold up, causing the swing to lose its force. Another cause of this action is leaving the weight too much on the right leg in the downstroke. Here the left arm is prevented from traveling on through because of the restriction placed on it by the weight being on the opposite side of the body. Instead of moving forward it can only remain set, letting the right arm carry on the swinging assignment and causing the clubhead to cut across the ball from the outside in. It is largely this factor which has caused the left arm to remain set in the upper illustration above, causing the clubhead to cut across the ball from the outside in and no doubt resulting in a slice. In the lower panel Johnny Goodman is shown making an unhindered follow through. The left hip has been turned well aside and the weight transferred to the right leg. The swing mechanics here are directly opposite to the restricted stroke and hip turn of the upper figure.

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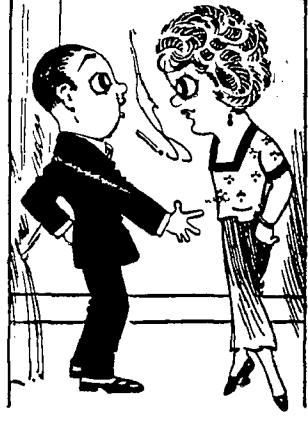
"There's one thrill the wealthy never enjoy."

"What's that?"

"The joy of paying the last installment on something."

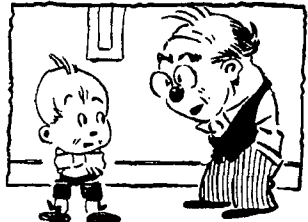
One of the world's freakiest floods occurred in California's Imperial Valley in 1905-06. The Colorado River flooded 400 square miles in the valley, forming a lake known as the Salton sea. If the river hadn't been turned back into its proper channel, the entire Imperial valley would now be an inland sea.

THE DIFFERENCE



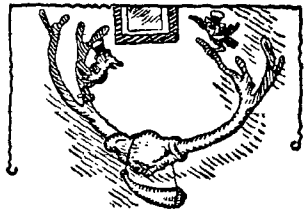
Dr. Snap—You seem to think that I'm nothing but a miserable idiot. Mrs. Snap—Oh, no; you are cheerful enough.

HOME RULE



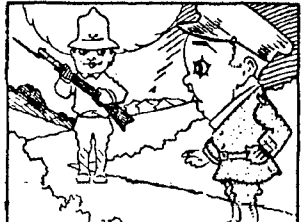
"Say, Pa, what is your idea of the simple life?" "Being allowed to sit around in my shirt sleeves, my boy, especially in the summer."

THE PUZZLE



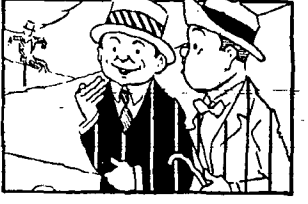
"What kind of a tree is this, any way, here summer is most over and it hasn't a single leaf yet."

GUARD RIGHT



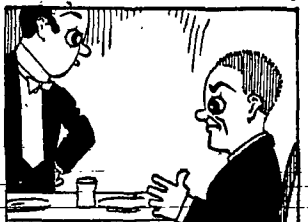
Guard—Who goes there? Pompous Colonel—Fool! Guard—Advance, fool, and give the countersign.

DOWN ON THE FARM



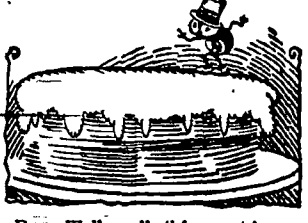
"De Style is a gentleman farmer now." "Yes, and he's the real thing in that line. Puts evening dress on all his scarecrows at dusk."

OBEYING ORDERS



"See here, waiter, the ice in this lemonade is all melted." "Yes, sir, we ain't allowed to serve only soft drinks, sir."

IN THE MOUNTAINS



Bug—Well, this must be one of those glaciers I've read about.

THE REASON



"Jack is a killing chap all right." "Mebbe that's why they call him 'Wood Alcohol'."

Lovells

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Loffler entertained their daughter of Detroit, for a few weeks.

J. W. Anderson of Detroit and a party of friends, are enjoying a week at the Anderson Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernhart Mundt of Saginaw visited at the home of Joseph Doby last week.

Mrs. Mae Brenton is entertaining her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nash, at the Nash Kamp.

Mrs. Martha Douglas is better again, after being ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Nephew and children, and Miss Iris Nephew spent the week end in Kalkaska, visiting their sister, Mrs. Glen Gregg.

Mrs. Lee Moore of Detroit is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Small.

Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Symons, Mr. and Mrs. John Orr, and Mrs. Jessie Kuehl of Saginaw, spent the week end at the Kuehl cabin.

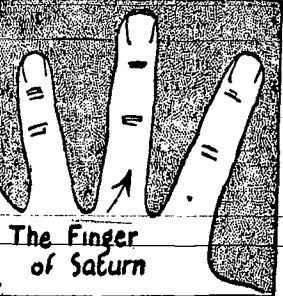
Bill Lurchen and son, and Mr. Winekoop, of Detroit, are spending some time at Big Creek Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Langstrom, and son, of Detroit, are enjoying a few days at their cabin.

THE LANGUAGE OF YOUR HAND

By Leicester K. Davis

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The Finger of Saturn

THESE lessons in the language of your hand, remember, have been prepared to give you more than a mere smattering of palmistry. That is why the basic elements are being described one at a time and in detail. If you are to become really skilled in the analysis of hands, you should be thoroughly familiar with the fundamental characteristics and their variations, upon which the expert palmist relies for accurate results. Among the primary elements, as these are called, none is more important than the second finger, or Finger of Saturn.

What the Finger of Saturn Reveals. In making your preliminary survey of a hand, look to this finger as an index of the kind of conscious and subconscious thought which governs its possessor. The length, shape and inclination of the finger usually show how the mentality functions, and whether it is of careful reasoning or unreasoning variety, reflective or creative, scheming or melancholy, influenced for good or ill.

The ideal Finger of Saturn is straight and of pronounced length, not overfleshed or pudgy looking, with knuckles well but not over developed.

The tip is moderately rounded, with either a broad or somewhat pear-shaped nail, well set. Under pressure the entire finger should have a springy, resilient feel. With hand extended wide the finger should be fairly evenly spaced between the first and third fingers.

When such a finger of Saturn is discovered, you may safely place its owner as a clear-thinking individual of open mind, interested in worthwhile things calling for constructive and logical use of the mentality.

Japanese, Chinese Dragons. The Chinese dragon is depicted with five toes, the Japanese with three.

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Playing dates for northern part of District No. 10:

July 4—Prudenville at Grayling.

Mio at ————

July 11—Roscommon at Prudenville.

West Branch at Mio.

July 18—Grayling at West Branch.

Mio at Roscommon.

July 25—West Branch at Grayling.

Roscommon at ————

The schedule was supposed to start May 23rd but owing to the High School players not having finished their season here, two games were postponed to a later date. These are Roscommon at Grayling and Grayling at Mio, on May 30th. These games will be played at later dates.

Oral LeVan, Mgr.

A. LaChapelle, Sec.

Attracting Attention

Jud Tunkins says a man's noblest and most philanthropic efforts often fail to attract as much attention among his friends as the fact that he has bought a new hat.

Statue to Morgan Horse

The Morgan horse was developed in New England. In 1921 a statue of Justin Morgan, the progenitor of this race, was erected on the U. S. Morgan Horse Farm at Middlebury, Vt., on the 100th anniversary of the death of this famous horse. This farm of 400 acres was given to the Department of Agriculture in 1907, to be used for developing the best Morgan blood.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Waldemar Jensen, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 28th day of June A. D. 1937, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Grayling in said county, on or before the 1st day of November A. D. 1937, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the first day of November A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated June 28, A. D. 1937.

Charles E. Moore,

Judge of Probate.

7-1-4

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The probate court for the county of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the City of Grayling in said county, on the 23rd day of June A. D. 1937.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore

Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Linn, deceased.

Severin Johnson having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Axel M. Peterson, public administrator for said county, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That the 19th day of July A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles E. Moore,

Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

Charles E. Moore,

Judge of Probate.

6-24-4

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the City of Grayling in said county, on the 1st day of June A. D. 1937.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore

Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Rebecca M. Wight, deceased.

Allen B. Failing having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 28th day of June A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles E. Moore,

Judge of Probate.

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Judge of Probate.

4-3-4

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Defaults having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by E. Lorane Sparkes and Lillian A. Sparkes, husband and wife, of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, to Home Owners' Loan Corporation, a Corporation organized under the laws of the United States of America, dated October 25, 1935, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, on October 26, 1935, in Liber L-mis. of Mortgages, on pages 114-115, and said mortgage having elected under the terms of said mortgage to declare the entire principal and accrued interest thereon due, which election it does hereby exercise, pursuant to which there is claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at the date of this notice for principal and interest plus taxes and insurance paid by mortgagee the sum of two thousand four hundred thirty-four dollars and twenty cents (\$2,434.20) and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the Statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, Notice is hereby given that on Monday, July 26, 1937, at 1:00 o'clock afternoon, Eastern Standard Time at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court in said County) said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid, and any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned at or before said sale for taxes and/or insurance on said premises, and all other sums paid by the undersigned, with interest thereon, pursuant to law and to the terms of said mortgage, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including an attorney's fee, which premises are described as follows:

That certain piece or parcel of land situated in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, Michigan, more particularly described as:

Lot One (1), Block Six (6) of Hadley's Amended Addition to the Village of Grayling (now City of Grayling) according to the recorded plat thereof, and being a part of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 7, Town 26 North, Range 3 West.

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Home Owners' Loan Corporation, Mortgagee.

Henry Miltner,

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LOCALS

THURSDAY, JULY 1, 1937

Snappy sandals from Olsons will look smart on the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Herrick transacted business in Flint Friday.

A. M. Henderson of St. Johns was in Grayling on business Tuesday.

James Bugby will cook for the ladies mess, during the soldier encampment.

D. I. Albaugh and family of Detroit have moved to Lake Margrethe for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sales transacted business in Chicago from Saturday until Wednesday.



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New white shoes for the Fourth? You'll find them at Olsons.

Harold Gordon is driving a Chevrolet Deluxe Town sedan, purchased from Alfred Hanson.

Floyd Lovely has been added to the baking force at the Grayling Bakery, beginning his duties Monday.

Anthony Green, manager of the A. & P. Market, transacted business in Traverse City the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Richmond of Higgins Lake are the proud parents of a boy, Donald Lynn, born Friday morning.

Mrs. Hattie Moshier returned home last Thursday night from Bay City where she has been serving on the jury in federal court.

Dr. R. A. VanVleck of Bellefontaine, Ohio, owner of Camp Margrethe at the Lake, has purchased the Wm. Green cottage there.

Mrs. Adolph Peterson has accepted a position with the W.P.A., the work taking her into the northern counties. At present she is in Alpena.

Leland Melven and family of Dayton are vacationing at the A. E. Hendrickson cottage at Lake View Park, Lake Margrethe, for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Higley of West Branch, the former who is area engineer for the W.P.A. in this district, have moved into the Mrs. George Sorenson apartments.

Everett Desy, sales manager for the Burke Ford Sales, left last Wednesday for Newberry and Big Bay in the Upper Peninsula to transact business, returning Tuesday night.

Last Monday a group of case workers began a check of the W. P. A. work in Crawford county. This is merely a re-investigation that takes place in all counties.

Dwight Mills came Monday to take care of some business in the Grayling Jewelry Shoppe during the absence of his father, F. J. Mills. Miss Anna Moore accompanied him here.

Grayling's summer festival over last week end was one of the best they ever presented, according to some who were there. The parade Sunday would have been a credit to any city.

Friday morning while Ed Gibbons was eating breakfast at the Plaza Grill, he was taken suddenly ill. A doctor was called and he was taken home and is now recovering nicely.

Buildings at Hartwick Pines CCC camp have been ordered to be turned over for use by groups of boys and girl scouts for general use, and such other uses as may be approved by the caretaker in charge.

One hundred sixty-six horses, in which it took nine railroad cars to convey them here, came from the Michigan, Illinois and Wisconsin divisions Saturday to be used during the maneuvers at the Military camp.

William Thomas, of Marquette, age 78 years, a retired railroad engineer of the D. S. S. & A. Railroad, accidentally fell from a train near Gaylord Saturday forenoon and was instantly killed. Being an old gentleman it is thought he accidentally opened the wrong door while the train was in motion.

Word has been received from John Henry Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Holger F. Peterson, and Robert Heribson son of Louis Heribson, of their arrival in Washington, D. C., for the National Boy Scout jamboree. The Michigan boys arrived three days earlier than the others to get camp ready for the entire 25,000 boys. John H. has been assigned to the Boy Scout band of 160 pieces.

Of interest to Grayling and Frederic friends is the marriage of Miss Loretta V. Sorenson, daughter of Conrad Sorenson of Grayling, and Mr. Sanford Charon, son of Oscar Charon, of Frederic. The wedding took place in Midland Saturday. Both the bride and groom were born in Crawford county and the bride graduated with this year's class from Grayling High school. They both have a host of friends who extend best wishes. They will reside in Midland.

Work on the Sales building is progressing rapidly. In spite of the delay, already the footings are in for the entire structure and the front half is seeing the brickwork go up in a hurry. Seiter Bros., of Clare, are the contractors. Loren Seiter is personally on the job and keeps the work moving rapidly. The crew has been putting in long hours in order to get the building ready for occupancy as quickly as possible. Mr. Sales says he expects the building to be ready for use about the last part of July.

James Bugby and daughter Elinore and Betty Parsons were in Traverse City Friday, on business.

The ladies of St. Mary's church will give a chicken dinner at the church hall on July 18th, at 12:00 noon. The public is invited.

The next C.C.C. enrollment will be the 2nd week in July for young men ages 17 to 23 inclusive, and they may make application at the local Welfare office.

See the latest in sporty whites at Olsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Marius Hanson have moved into their new home on the corner of Maple and Lake streets that was recently completed. The new dwelling makes a nice addition to that part of the city.

Last Sunday morning at about 1:00 the auto owned by Calvin Church containing several valuable tools and electrical appliances was stolen from in front of the Fischer Hotel. We learn that the car has been located in Detroit.

Harold Edwards chaperoned a group of Boy Scouts attending a meeting in Bay City, Saturday. Those who made the trip included Edward Martin, Robert Welsh, Clayton Gorman, Billy Bollinger, Edward Sorenson, Alfred Hanson.

Don Swan of Ann Arbor came Friday to spend a week at his cabin down river. Mr. Swan played tackle for the U. of M., a few years back, and will be remembered by football enthusiasts.

Mrs. C. G. Clippert received the sad news, Monday, of the death of her niece at Indianapolis. She left Tuesday morning for that city. She was joined at Mt. Pleasant by her mother, Mrs. Edw. Webb, who accompanied her there.

Cheboygan will celebrate the Fourth in combination with a home coming. Sunday will be turned over to registrations and get-togethers. Monday there will be a big parade and a full day of interesting program. The streets are being decorated for the occasion.

Patsy Hope Herie celebrated her ninth birthday Sunday by entertaining four of her little friends at a theatre party, including Sally McClain, Barbara Ann Borchers, Roberta Redhead and Beatrice Papendick. When they returned from the show a nice lunch was awaiting them.

Mr. Simpson of the Oxbow Club landed a 5 lb. 6 ounce brown trout Sunday. He was fishing on the South Branch. It is reported that Verne Perry, caretaker of the club, pinned a four-leaf clover on his hat just before he started for the river. No doubt that is what brot him the good luck.

Mrs. Merle Frey of Clarksville is spending some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Denewett and friends. Mr. Frey was here for over the week. There was a family gathering at the Denewett home Sunday with all the children and their families home for the day, including the Arthur Denewett, Albert Bentley, and David Cook families together with Ted Pratt and Louis Short of Frederic.

Complimenting Mrs. Ronnow Hanson, Mrs. Frank Sales delightfully entertained a large group of ladies at a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening at her home. For pastime pinocle was in order and high scores were held by Mrs. Jess Sales and Mrs. Harry Reynolds. The bride was showered with many beautiful gifts, following which a delicious lunch was served on small tables.

Mrs. Algot Johnson entertained with a birthday party honoring her daughter Miss Agda last evening. There were twenty guests and the evening was spent at games, with Mrs. Hans Juhl, Mrs. E. N. Darveau and Miss Frances May winners. A lovely lunch was served with a large birthday cake guarded by yellow candles adorning the table. Miss Agda was the recipient of many nice gifts.

If the unusual is news, then the annual Manistee National Forest Festival July 2-5 is deserving of comment. Last year an Ottawa Indian girl, Wabisheshikwe, held the title of "Forest Princess." The princess is now married. Unable to have its princess, Manistee will celebrate in 1937 without benefit of feminine allurements. The Chamber of Commerce is making the most of it.

Notice

Get License Plates For Trailers
Trailers must have license plates. A check-up of trailers used in Grayling Township has been requested of me by higher authority.
Please have a license on your trailer.

John Stephan,
Constable Grayling Twp.

Personals

Carl Hanson and family are spending the week in Saginaw.

Frank Beckman is absent from his barber shop because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jenkins and family visited their parents in Gaylord, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Becker of Monroe called on Grayling friends Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward King and Geo. L. Miller of Flint visited here over Sunday.

James Bugby caught 31 large bass early Friday morning at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Earl Broadbent visited her sister in Gaylord, Mrs. Gladys Fox, over the week end.

Wm. Brennan of Saginaw visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Callahan Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Moore left for Toledo, Friday, called by the illness of her aunt, Mrs. John Manley.

Paul Hendrickson of Bay City enjoyed a short visit with his parents the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Menno Corwin and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson spent Saturday in West Branch.

A number of homes in Grayling are being repainted, and proving an added improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolff, of Berwick, Pa., spent Friday with Mrs. H. W. Wolff at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. August Lynch of Mt. Pleasant visited at the home of their brother, Mrs. James Lynch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gierke and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gierke left for Ann Arbor Sunday morning on business and pleasure.

Mrs. Jens Hansen and niece Irene, arrived home Sunday after visiting for a week with Mrs. Louise Deadman, of Boyne City.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson Jr., of Alma, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson Tuesday and Wednesday, at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Nelson of Battle Creek, and Mr. and Mrs. Harwood, of Detroit, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Ellen Failing for a few days.

Mrs. Everett Desy who is spending the summer with Mr. Desy's parents at Mackinaw, visited in Grayling Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Helen Corwin returned home Sunday from West Branch after having cared for a case for the past two weeks at Toifree Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Piper and son Phil, of Detroit, will arrive Friday to spend the week end as guests of Mrs. H. A. Bauman and Miss Margrethe Bauman at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. H. A. Bauman is expecting her daughter Mrs. Walter Woodson and granddaughter Grace Matilda, to arrive Friday. They will spend the summer at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kuntar of Waukegan, Ill., are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Wirtenen and family. Miss Jennie is expecting to return with them about July 4th to remain indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmar Mortenson, Charles Richardson, Bernard Palmer, Lloyd Millikin, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Corwin and son Eugene, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber of Roscommon spent Sunday with the John LaMotte family at Mackinaw.

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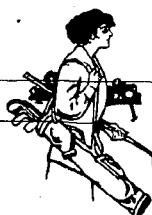
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Ladies
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Some eighteen ladies drove to West Branch Wednesday morning where they played the ladies of the West Branch club in a golf tourney and a bridge game. West Branch won the golf tournament, the low score being held by Mrs. Thomas Rau of the hostess club and by Mrs. Roy Milnes of the visiting club. The high scores for contract were held by Mrs. C. W. Crandall of West Branch and Mrs. O. P. Schumann of Grayling.

Included in the list were Mrs. Roy Milnes, Mrs. Jess Schoonover, Mrs. Wm. Hill, Mrs. A. J. Joseph, Mary Jane Joseph, Mrs. Esbern Olson, Mrs. Chas. Moore, Mrs. C. R. Keyport, Miss Jayne Keyport, Mrs. Oscar Hanson, Miss Margrethe Hanson, Mrs. H. W. Wolff, Mrs. H. H. Kittleman, Mrs. Geo. Kraus, Mrs. Geo. Olson, Miss Georgianna Olson, Mrs. O. P. Schumann, and Mrs. Kenneth Dobbins, of Detroit.

FORMER GRAYLING TEACHERS HOLD REUNION

Mrs. Ralph Wilkinson of Albion, Mich., who will be remembered as Miss Bessie McLain, entertained at a house party at her home recently, the guests being former teachers of Grayling schools, who taught here at the same time Mrs. Wilkinson did.

Those present included Miss Marguerite Lockwood, now teaching in Cleveland; Miss Ina McNeal who teaches in Grand Rapids; Miss Ethel Ryker, Muskogee schools; Miss Nellie, Loss, supervisor in Flint schools; Mrs. Gebhart of Owosso, who will be remembered as Miss Elizabeth Wells; Mrs. J. R. Shirley (Celia Clark), Mrs. B. A. McCloy (Hazel Clark), both of whom reside in Royal Oak; Dr. Sparling, a practicing physician of Northville, formerly Miss Irene Martin and Mrs. William Firth, Grand Rapids, who was Miss Alma Rowe.

It is needless to say that this was a happy gathering. Many parents as well as pupils remember this group of teachers and will be pleased to hear of them once again. The clipping telling of the party came to Mrs. Esbern Olson, who turned same over to us.

TRAIN SCHEDULE CHANGED

Beginning June 28th the hours of arrival and departure of the two afternoon passenger and mail trains changed.

Train No. 210, coming from the north arrives at 1:38 and departs at 3:00 o'clock. Train No. 209 coming from the south arrives at 1:55 and leaves at 2:55 o'clock. The time schedule of the night passenger trains remains the same.

THE LANGUAGE OF YOUR HAND

By Leicester K. Davis

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The Over-Logical
Finger of Saturn

OCCASIONALLY one meets a man or woman who seems to delight in applying elaborate rules of reasoning to practically everything in life. And yet despite this ceaseless analyzing, such an individual never seems to get much accomplished. The reason, of course, is that so much mental effort and time are consumed in the dissection of whys and wherefores that initiative and action which get things done are bound to suffer.

Look carefully at the second finger of such a person and very likely you will find the characteristics which this lesson points out.

The Overlogical Finger of Saturn. Excessive length and leanness, protruding knobby knuckles and absence of flexibility are the outstanding indications in this type of second finger.

With the fingers extended and pressed together such a finger of Saturn will be found to have far greater length than that of the forefinger, which sometimes seems quite dwarfed by comparison. The spaces between the knuckles seem disproportionately long. The nail is usually narrow or "pinched" in form and is often deeply set.

A second finger of this type usually inclines toward the forefinger when the hand is extended.

One may look for hyperlogical mentality with second fingers of this type, one that is likely to carry logic far beyond normal bounds, and in business particularly one that frequently argues away possibilities of profit from ventures which are real opportunities.

WNU Service.

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Important Meeting

A Chamber of Commerce organization meeting has been called for Friday night, July 2, 1937, at 8 o'clock at the Court House. The newly appointed Grayling Civic Committee will meet at this time relative to this matter and they request all business men as well as any others that are interested, to be present. Everyone be sure and attend this important meeting.

Fourth of July Swimmers Warned

Predicting that there will probably be more swimmers in the water on the Fourth of July than on any other day of the summer, Dr. Robert A. Fraser, Chief Medical Director of the New York Life Insurance Company, offers three simple rules which should go far in preventing the large number of swimming accidents which occur every year during the summer months.

Dr. Fraser has been making a special study of hot weather accidents and disabilities. "If everyone," he says, "will remember the following three rules many lives will be spared and much sorrow avoided. First, never go swimming alone; second, keep out of the water for at least one full hour after a meal; third, never dive into water until you are sure of its depth."

"They are just common sense rules," Dr. Fraser said. "Yet failure to observe them probably accounted for the great majority of the 5,500 swimming fatalities estimated by the National Safety Council for the year 1935, the latest figures that are available."

Many people are drowned every year because they insist on going swimming alone and are powerless to help themselves when seized with a cramp or faced with some other sudden emergency.

As for keeping out of the water directly after eating, a guard at one of the large swimming pools here in the East tells us that he and the other guards know that their duty is to keep out of the water between two and three o'clock every day when dippers are in the water. Many people get into difficulty during that time that they can avoid by waiting until the water is cooler and the dippers are out.

And under the danger of diving into water without first knowing the depth are obvious everywhere.

Two Common Emergencies

A large percentage of swimming fatalities are the result of the swimmer using a head up position in an emergency to come up to see a steady head. When suddenly caught in a current, Dr. Fraser says, the swimmer should keep his head down and his arms and legs straight. He should not try to swim in a circle or to turn his head. Better pick out a spot in shore to which to swim and let the water carry him.

When a swimmer is caught in a strong current, he should try to swim in a circle or to turn his head. Better pick out a spot in shore to which to swim and let the water carry him.

Arm and Leg Cramps

Arm and leg cramps may be prevented by swimming in a proper position. According to Dr. Fraser, the swimmer should keep his head down and his arms and legs straight.

Dr. Fraser warns that the swimmer should not try to swim in a circle or to turn his head. Better pick out a spot in shore to which to swim and let the water carry him.

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ing down over the two lower ribs. Keep the arms straight and bent forward so that your entire weight is gradually brought to bear on the patient. Then swing yourself smartly backward, removing all weight from the patient's ribs quickly, while the thorax expands and draws fresh air into the lungs.

Count While You Do It
Learn to apply artificial respiration by "count." Place your palms in position with the count of "one"; with the count of "two" let the weight come forward on your stiffened arms; with the count of "three" remove all weight and return to the first position.

Repeat the cycle of movements and keep on repeating for three or four hours if necessary, getting in from 12 to 15 complete cycles to the minute. "Two hours is the minimum period for applying artificial respiration," Dr. Fraser reminds those giving it. "Keeping everlastingly at it is even more important than being a highly skilled operator. Remember, you have everything to gain and nothing to lose."

One good way to become proficient in the "prone" method is to work with a friend, taking turns being patient and rescuer, until you have mastered the simple movements and have the little trick of the "one, two, three" count.

Lewis Bros. Circus Coming To Grayling

LEWIS BROS. CIRCUS COMING TO GRAYLING MONDAY, JULY 19

Auspices: The American Legion, Drum & Bugle Corps

The more news headline of the coming of the circus to any town presages the advent of the summer and autumn season. It sends a thrill of excitement through the youngsters and pops up the oldsters, for a circus is just different from any other show.

It is a time of splendor from the time one reaches the show. The snoring and growling of the animals that echo through the grounds, the graceful and powerful human mind evidenced in the great group of educated horses. From the sublime we find ourselves admiring acrobats whose funny stunts, whose stunts are spent in making others laugh and who seldom themselves laugh at even simple stunts. Always are they happy and with the merry circus.

At the Lewis Bros. Circus, the animals of the act that remind of the old days, the years of danger that you and I have lived through.

Lewis Bros. Big 3 Ring Circus and Menagerie comes to this community not as an unknown quantity but as a tried and proven organization of real merit. It is a circus that has given the people money's worth and never less.

We welcome the kiddies as well as the grownups who have a community well represented in that way. While some will see the lions, elephants and tigers and the wilder animals of the jungle.

The circus will be located at the beautiful horse, homes and dogs, say nothing about the great herd of trained goats, an animal we all thought was hopeless.

Mr. Lewis' superintends all performances in person and extends a hearty invitation to the patrons to visit all departments before or after the main exhibition. The Lewis Bros. Circus has become an institution and ranks far above the average circus playing these size towns. There will be two performances.

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Washington Notes And Comments

By Congressman Roy C. Woodruff
Tenth Michigan District

No precedent-breaking action of President Roosevelt—who seems to delight in breaking precedents and in shattering traditions—has created more concern in the Congress than the extra session of the Congress convened in Jefferson Island in Chesapeake Bay, June 25th, 26th and 27th.

Although the real purpose of the three-day session on the island, guarded from the prying eyes and listening ears of Press correspondents, was supposed to be conducted from the country under the pretense that it was to be a jovial get-together-party of the Democratic members of the Congress, the "pretense" did not succeed.

The members of the Congress and the representatives of the Press knew that the purpose of the session was to afford President Roosevelt, the members of his Cabinet and the chiefs of his Bureaus and Departments an opportunity to apply the enormous presidential powers of pet projects, patronage, punishment and persuasion to recalcitrant members of the Legislative body who thus far have refused to be obedient supporters of the President's war-passing plan, the Government reorganization scheme, and other measures vesting him with new and enormous powers of administration. This purpose was slowly becoming clear to the country at large.

Although 467 masculine Democratic members of the Legislative body were invited to attend the session, it has now developed that many of them refused to subject themselves to the unpleasant ordeal.

Not a man of Mr. Roosevelt since he has been President, has more clearly shown the far departure from the Constitutional processes of Government taken by and under him in the last four years than this event. On a guarded island in the middle of Chesapeake Bay, with the representatives of the Press excluded, with the feminine Democratic members of the Congress excluded, and with, of course, all of the Republican members barred, the President and his Cabinet, and his purveyors of patronage, attempted to bring into line those members of the Congress who have refused to go along with the President in all of his measures.

The resentment in Democratic ranks in Congress over the plans has reached a high pitch, and Mr. Roosevelt undoubtedly heard some straight talk from some of the leading members of his party in the island sessions.

The question of whether or not the Congress will remain in session throughout the summer will be decided as a result of this meeting. If the President applied sufficient pressure on enough members of the Congress to give him a fighting chance for passage of a modified court bill, his revolutionary Government reorganization plan, his badly-drawn wage-hour bill, his "little T.V.A." zoning plan, his Ever-Normal Granary act, and others, he will count for considerable help from the hot, humid weather in the Capitol and the Congress will be kept in session.

If, on the other hand, the President found himself unable to coerce a sufficient number of Congressional members into supporting his measures, his leaders will move for a quick adjournment and the President will go on the radio in the interim between sessions in an effort to persuade the country to support his program.

Meanwhile, long-existing apprehension in the Congress over the spread of industrial strikes, lawlessness, disorders, and bloodshed has now become a deep feeling of alarm. Some of the most prominent Democratic members of the Legislative body have been outspoken in their denunciation of the failure of the Federal and State governments to adopt a firm policy of law and order in sternly suppressing the illegal phases of the C.I.O. outbreaks.

Alarmed and angered over the incursions of John L. Lewis' organizers in the South, preaching social equality and arousing racial antagonisms among the negroes, the Southern contingent of the Congress is up in arms and is demanding that the activities of the C.I.O. be curbed.

The evident attitude of particularly for the C.I.O. on the part of the National Labor Relations Board has further alarmed the Southern Congressional group. It is becoming increasingly evident that whenever he desires to do so, John L. Lewis can have the workers in Southern industrial plants appeal to the National Labor Relations Board to compel the employers to deal collectively with the employees, and the battle will be on.

This situation in the South may produce a major split in the Democratic ranks unless the C.I.O. leaders, as a favor to Mr. Roosevelt, modify their program for unionizing the South.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and at the passing of our wife and mother.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients entering the hospital this week are: Douglas Campbell, Lottie Watson, George, Ely, and Charles Prusakiewitz of Gaylord; Clayton Tompkins, Camp Kalkaska; Mrs. Lelia Bingham, Higgins Lake; Frances Wyckoff, Roscommon; Nina Wings, Elmira; Daniel Hall, Detroit; Frank Lavack, Grayling.

Patients released from the hospital this week are: Mrs. David Moore, C. E. Overmyer, Frances Wyckoff, Roscommon; Theodore Werts, Robert Metzger, Gaylord; Mrs. Rock Wood, Cheboygan; Francis Paquin, Vanderbilt; James Patton, Johannesburg; Mrs. Sarah Mellescoe, Bay City; Mrs. Harold Cliff, Grayling.

Patients for removal of tonsils are: Bruce Bergey, Betty Bergey, Gaylord; Vivian Morehouse, Houghton Lake; Hudson Deming, Vanderbilt; Lester Belanger, Rex Belanger, Roscommon; Phyllis Milks, Betty Jane Smith, Seeley Wakeley, Maxine Clise, and Clayton Budd, Grayling.

ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

South Branch Township
School Election Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the School District of the Township of South Branch, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, that the next ensuing annual School Election will be held at the Town Hall in said district on

Monday, July 12th, A. D. 1937, at which election the following officers will be elected:

1 Secretary for term of 3 years;
1 Treasurer for term of 3 years.
Names of those who have filed petitions are Alice R. Scott for Secretary, and Leda M. Scott for Treasurer.

Also for the purpose of voting on the following propositions:

(1) To close all schools in said District and transport to Gerrish-Higgins School in Roscommon.

(2) To close Scott and Schreiber schools only.

The polls of said election will be open at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day of election and will be kept open seven consecutive hours during the last two hours of which, or between three and five o'clock of said day of election, the business of the district will take place.

Dated this 30th day of June, 1937.

Alice R. Scott,
Sec'y. of Board of Education.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

LAND EXCHANGE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the State of Michigan, through the Department of Conservation at Lansing, Michigan, has applied for an exchange of lands under the Act of March 3, 1925 (43 Stat. 1215). The applicant offers to the United States certain lands located in Gogebic and Ontonagon Counties lying within National Forest boundaries; and in exchange desires to obtain title to the following described lands located in CRAWFORD County, and lying within the boundaries of certain State Forests, totaling 640.00 acres:

T 27 N. R 3 W. Sec 35, Entire.
The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming said lands or having bona fide objections to such application an opportunity to file their protests with this office on or before the date of the last publication thereof.

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Last publication July 22, 1937.

LYLE F. WATTS,
Regional Forester.

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With the Lewis Bros. Circus



Miss Mae Lewis, famous equestrienne to be seen here with Lewis Bros Big 3 Ring Circus that will exhibit at Grayling one day only Monday, July 19, afternoon and evening, under the auspices of the American Legion Drum and Bugle Corps.

"Little Stories for Bedtime" by Thornton W. Burgess

LIGHTFOOT MAKES A SURPRISING DISCOVERY

PROBABLY there is no happier time of the year for Lightfoot the Deer than when the dreadful hunting season ends and he is once more back in his beloved Green Forest with nothing to fear. All his neighbors called on him to tell how glad they were that he had escaped again and how the Green Forest would not have been the same had he not returned.

So Lightfoot roamed about with out fear and was happy. It seemed



For a Long Time Lightfoot Stood Staring at That Footprint.

to him that he could not be happier. There was plenty to eat, and that blessed feeling of nothing to fear. What more could anyone ask? He began to grow sleek and fat and handsomer than ever. The days were growing colder and the frosty air made him feel good.

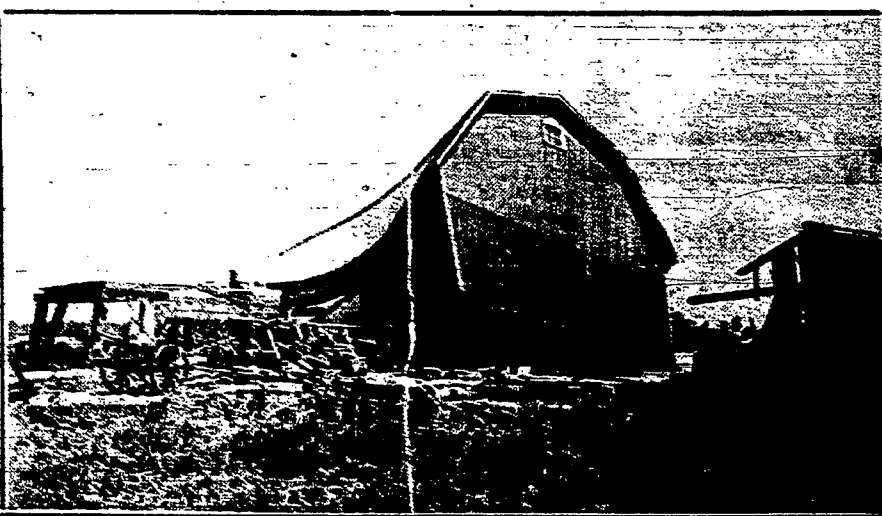
Just at dusk one evening he went down to his favorite drinking place at the Laughing Brook. As he put down his head to drink he saw something which so surprised him

that he quite forgot that he was thirsty. What do you think it was he saw? It was a footprint in the soft mud. Yes sir, it was a footprint.

For a long time Lightfoot stood staring at that footprint. In his great, soft eyes was a look of wonder and surprise. You see, the footprint was exactly like one of his own, only smaller. To Lightfoot it was a very wonderful footprint. He was quite sure that never had he seen such a dainty footprint. He forgot to drink. Instead, he began to search for other footprints and presently he found them. Each was as dainty as the first one. Who could have made them? That is what Lightfoot wanted to know, and what he meant to find out. It was clear to him that there was a stranger in the Green Forest, and somehow he didn't resent it in the least. In fact, he was glad. He couldn't have told why, but it was true.

Lightfoot put his nose to the footprints and sniffed of them. Even had he not known by looking at those prints that they had been made by a stranger, his nose would have told him this. A great longing to find the maker of those footprints took possession of him. He lifted his handsome head and listened for some slight sound which might show that the stranger was near. With his delicate nostrils he tested the wandering little Night Breezes for a stray whiff of scent to tell him which way to go. But there was no sound, and the wandering little Night Breezes told him nothing. Lightfoot followed the dainty footprints up the bank. There they disappeared, for the ground was hard. Lightfoot paused, undecided which way to go.

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Chas. R. and Edna E. Steward are the owners of this once fine 26 x 60 foot barn. It is located on Sec. 12, Sunfield township, Eaton county. June 14, 1937, a tornado swooped down and wrecked it. This company promptly paid the loss, \$2,000.

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